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Stephanie A. Altig
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Dear Ms. Altig,

Reference is made to your correspondence dated July 27, 2018 to Lt. James E. Sherman to determine if New York State recognizes concealed handgun licenses issued by the State of Idaho. I have been asked to respond to your inquiry.

New York State has not entered into firearms licensing reciprocity agreements with any other states and it is not anticipated that this policy will change in the foreseeable future. Therefore, in most circumstances, the possession of a handgun in New York State by a non-resident would be unlawful, regardless of their status as a pistol permit holder in any other state.

I hope this information answered your question. If you have any further questions regarding this matter feel free to contact me at (518) 464-7120.

Sincerely,

Daniel B. McMorris
Lieutenant
New York State Police
Pistol Permit Bureau

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